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Customer No. : 23911

Title : Control Unit for Internal Combustion Engine

STATUS REQUEST

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Undersigned's records indicate that no substantive correspondence has been received in reference to the above-identified application. Please advise the undersigned of the status of application.

It would be appreciated if the undersigned were telephoned in the event there are any questions related to this Request or the application in general.

Respectfully submitted,

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